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WARM CROSSFIRE

WHEELER AND GROSVENOR EX-CHANGE LIVELY WORDS.

FORMER ASSAILS PRESIDENT

He Denounces Our Attitude Toward England as "Flunkeyism"-Thinks government exhibit. It Proper that Lord Pauncefote Be Ordered Home.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 .- The monotony of a private pension day of the bouse was enlivened by an impassioned speech from Mr. Wheeler of Kentucky in denunciation of what he denominated "flunkeyism" to foreign countries. He took the recent statements emanating from the continental cabinets regarding the attitude of Great Britain during the Spanish-American war as a text for a wholesale attack upon the trend of the United States' recent diplomacy. He severely scored Secretary Hay and declared that if Lord Pauncefote had sought, as was alleged, to circumvent this country during the war of 1898, the sooner he was shipped across the seas the better.

He also criticised the president for his reported intention to send his daughter to the coronation of King Edward and protested against the official reception of Prince Henry.

His speech aroused the house to a high pitch of excitement and elicited from Mr. Boutell of Illinois a spiced defence of Secretary Hay, whom he eulogized in high terms. Several members took a hand and later in the afternoon Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio took Mr. Wheeler to task for his "inopportune protest" and rehearsed the history of the visit of the prince of Wales to this country in 1860 and his reception by President Buchanan.

Mr. Wheeler excoriated what he termed the modern disposition toward "European flunkeyism." Until 1896. he said, all Americans had gloried in the splendid isolation of the republic and its determination to hold aloof from foreign entangling alliances. Less than five years ago, he declared, a president, "goaded on by the pitlable flunkey in the State department," had stretched his arms across the seas in adulation to the people of Great Britain and today the government was hugging to its bosom that which since the battle of Yorktown had systematically and persistently plotted our clownfall.

"I have respect for the present occupant of the White House, I frankly werage republican partisan. A little Quixotic, it is true, hasty-tempered, full-blooded and not exactly desirable to many of our citizens, and I indulge the hope that the lingering element of Americanism will induce him at the first opportunity to boot out that man in the State department, who in my judgment has brought us to this humiliating condition." He continued:

"England a friend of the United States? I would to God she were, but what a spectacle have we presented in order to boast that we have the friendship of Great Brtain and have become a world power.

"For more than four years we have witnessed Great Britain maintaining military stations inside the borders of two republics. We have seen her agents going up and down this country enlisting men and buying materials of war, and I believe I will not travel outside the record when I assert that any, member upon this floor who has served here as much as four years has received letters from his constituents protesting against the enforced enlistment of American boys by the English government to do battle in South Africa.

"We have swung further away from the democratic traditions, from republican ideas and republican principles in the last five years than in the previous 100 years."

W. E. West Acquitted.

AMES, Ia., Feb. 14.-The trial of W. E. West of Grand Forks, Minn., for killing Frank March, has resulted in his acquittal after a three weeks' ses-

Report of Tolstoi's Death. VIENNA, Feb. 15 .- The Nieus Wiener Journal publishes a unconfirmed rumor that Count Tolston is dead.

A bill was introduced in congress by Delegate Flynn, providing for two tory at \$5,000 a year.

Introduces Treason Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 .- Senator Hoar today offered the following amendment to the Philippine tariff bill now pending in the senate, the provision to be inserted at the end:

"No person in the Philippine islands shall, under the authority of the Uniin open court."

FOR GOVERMENT EXHIBIT.

House Committee and St. Louis Men Discuss Appropriation.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.-The officials of the government board for the St. Louis exposition and a number of St. Louis men identified with that enterprise today were before the house committee on expositions relative to the amount required for the

Congress has heretofore appropriated \$250,000 as a part of the amount for the building, but the amount for the exhibit itself was left open.

Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Brigham, head of the government board, and his assistants calculate on \$800,000 for the exhibit. They also desire a building to cost \$450,000.

Supervising Architect Taylor of the Treasury department stated that the building would cost from \$50,000 to \$75,000 more if built within the time originally set for opening the exposition than it would if another year was

The various officials explained the magnitude of the work and the plans to make this government exhibit in every way worthy of the enterprise as a whole

RUSSIA LIKELY TO PLAY EVEN. Austrian Papers See a Way to Be Revenged.

VIENNA, Feb. 14.—The Anglo-Japanese treaty of alliance is the feature of today's news in the Austrian newspapers and Russia's probable action is widely discussed. The consensus of opinion among those who are generally in touch with Russian views is that the militant Muscovites will endeavor to revenge themselves by stirring up disorders in Afghanistan, while the Russian government will lie low, awaiting the moment when Japan, having organized the military forces of China, will join hands with the latter and drive out all Europeans with the exception of the Russians, who, by that time, will occupy an impregnable position in Manchu-

Some of the papers affect to see in the publication of the treaty at the time when Admiral Prince Henry of Prussia is starting for the United States "Great Britain's reply to Germany's reapproachment with the United States."

NOW OUT OF DANGER.

Young Roosevelt is on the Road to Recovery.

GROTON, Mass., Feb. 14.-The most eventful day at the Groton avow," said the speaker. "I think he school since Theodore Roosevelt, jr., is too honest to be palatable to the became ill closed with the departure of President Roosevelt for Washing ton late last evening. Before that the president, in the homely phrase 'Ted has improved with such rapid jumps that I am sure he is out of the woods," had told to the world of the load lifted from his mind.

The day was full of happiness for the president and Mrs. Roosevelt, and for all at the infirmary or near the school grounds. The first report from the bedside of young Roosevelt showed that he had passed a good night. After the morning examination by the doctors it was announced that the boy's condition was progressing favorably. The report said that the lungs were clearing well, although the patient was still in the second stage of pleuro-pneumonia, known to medical men as the stage of education.

Olympia Ready for Prince.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.-The United States cruiser Olympia, Captain Henry Lyman commanding, went into the harbor from Boston and dropped anchor off Tompkinsville, S. I., about 1 o'clock. Olympia comes here to participate in the naval reception of Prince Henry, after which it will proceed south to become the flagship of Rear Admiral Higginson, commanding the North Atlantic squadron, now in West Indian waters.

Killed Quail.

WATERLOO, Ia., Feb. 14.-For shooting six quall Harry Fields, taxidermist for the state normal school, was fined \$125 by Justice Hildebrant. Fields will take an appeal, as he holds that he had a right to kill the quail for scientific purposes.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs Jones has given formal notice that the new leases of the 480,000 acres of Klowa Indian lands in Oklahoma, bordering on Texas, will take effect April additional judges in Oklahoma and 17, as originally proposed. An effort placing judicial salaries in the terri- had been made to have the date postponed some months.

Merging Express Companies.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14 .- The Cal intimates that the four big express companies of the country-the Adams, American, United States and Wells-Fargo-may merge into one corporation. It says that "word comes by private message from the ted States, be convicted of treason by east that E. H. Harriman, president any tribunal, civil or military, unless of the Southern Pacific company, will upon the testimony of two witnesses be elected to the presidency of the to the same overt act or confession Wells-Fargo Express company at the next meeting of the stockholders."

SENATOR BY VOTE

HOUSE ADOPTS RESOLUTION FOR POPULAR ELECTION.

MEASURE HAS NO OPPOSITION

Bill to Construct Bridge at St. Joseph is Among Those Passed-Ex-Confederates to Be Reimbursed for Loss of Side-Arms.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.-The house yesterday unanimously adopted a resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the United States for the election of senators by direct popular vote. There was no demand for time to debate the resolution. This is the fourth time the house has adopted a similar resolution.

Two bills of general importance were passed by the house, the remainder of the time being devoted to minor business. One was a senate bill to provide for the payment of claims of confederate officers and soldiers whose horses, side arms and baggage were taken from them by union soldiers, contrary to the terms of the surrender of Lee's and Johnson's armies. The amount to be paid under the bill was limited to \$50,000. The other bill was to confer on the Spanish claims commission authority to send for persons and papers and to punish for contempt.

A bill also was passed to grant to the White River Railroad company the right to construct a railroad across the government lands in Independence county, Arkansas.

Speaking to a pro forma amendment to the latter bill, Mr. Corliss (rep.) of Michigan, who is the author of the bill to provide for the laying of a government cable from San Francisco to Manila, addressed the house on the cable project. He was opposed, he said, to congress yielding concessions to private cable monopolies, notably the Commercial Cable company, controlled by the Mackay-Bennett forces, and dwelt on the importance of the United States operating its own cable lines.

"The right to construct cable lines," he said, "is an inherent right of the nation. No one has a right to lay a cable without permission of congress. There is no law in existence by which cables can be laid."

"Congress," he continued, "has assumed the right to control the construction and operation of cable lines to Alaska. Is it not far more important for the maintenance of peace and for the welfare of our people to control cable communication with Hawaii, the Philippines and the other Islands in the Pacific?"

The following bills were passed: To authorize a bridge across the Arkansas river near Fort Gibson, I. T.; to construct a bridge across the Missouri river at St. Joseph, Mo., and to authorize the Memphis, Helena & Louisiana railroad to construct bridges across the White and Arkansas rivers.

When the committee on election of president, vice president and representatives in congress was considered, Mr. Corliss called up the joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment to provide for the election of senators of the United States by popular voice. He explained that the resolution was practically identical with the one passed by the house in several congresses and said he did not think it necessary to discuss the meas-

STRIKES CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Ohio House Passes a Bill Imposing Penalty.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 14.-The house today passed a bill aimed at Christian Scientists. It provides that any parent or guardian who shall willfully deprive any sick child under 16 years of age shall be fined from \$10 to \$200, or imprisoned for six months, or both.

A bill was introduced appropriating \$75,000 for a state building and exhibit at the St. Louis exposition.

The position of the house on the proposition of abandoning the canals was indicated today when a bill providing for the adbandonment of a remnant of the Wabash and Erie canal in Paulding county was passed. Only two votes were recorded against the measure.

Wants Kiel Canal Widened.

BERLIN, Feb. 14.-The German Nautical society of Hamburg has passed a resolution for the widening ing Defiance starch. It costs less and of the Kiel canal, as this canal has already reached its traffic capacity.

Too Many American Hogs.

BERLIN, Feb. 14.-The Association of German Swine Breeders, which has assembled here, has discussed the scarcity of hogs suitable for butchering. The general secretary of the association, Herr Burkhart, explained that the unrestrained importation of American bacon and lard was completely ruining the German fattening business and making Germany entirely dependent on the hog markets of the United States.

Longest a Judge.

Judge John J. Jackson, of West Virginia, has been a fustice of the United States district court for forty years. He has served as a judge longer than any other man in the history of the state or federal courts. He is now 77 years old and claims that he will die in the harness, an event, however, which seems to be far in the future, as he is still active and vigor-

Creed's Discovery.

John M. Creed, of Berkley, Cal., a veteran of the civil war, applied recently for a pension, and found that a woman in Ohio, posing as his widow. had been drawing his pension for many years. She is actually the widow of another John M. Creed, who, however, is not entitled to a pension, not having served in the war. It is believed that others have obtained pensions in the same fraudulent way.

Long on Rank.

Two Barings hold now four peerages-two earldoms. Northbrook and Cromer; two baronies, Ashburton and Revelstoke. And the founder of the family, like the first Rothschild, came from Germany. He was a Lutheran minister, who settled with his son in Exeter some 200 years ago, and started a cloth manufactory.

He Clinched It.

Erie, Kans., Feb. 17th.-In July of 1900, W. H. Ketchum of this place was suddenly seized with a violent pain in his back. He says he supposed it was a "stitch" and would soon pass away, but it lasted five months and caused him great soreness, so that he was barcly able to get out of bed. He became alarmed and consulted a doctor which only increased his anxiety and did him no good.

A friend who had some experience advised him to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mr. Ketchum began with six pills a day and in a week was well and the soreness all gone. However,

this did not satisfy him, for he says: "I thought I would clinch the cure with another box and I did. I have had no recurrence of the trouble since and as this is over a year ago I am thoroughly convinced that Dodd's Kidney Pills have completely cured me."

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When a man has gone to seed it is time to plant him.

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